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By Order, **EDWARD OSBORNE**  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 6th March, 1890.



**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION**

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period 5th to 31st instant, between 2  
9 A.M. and 2 P.M. daily (Sundays  
The line of fire will be in a South  
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**THE DAILY PRESS.**  
HONGKONG, MARCH 6th, 1890.  
There will be a game of Polo this afternoon at 4.30 p.m. at the Racecourse.

The Agents (Messrs. Russell & Co.) inform us that the Union Line steamer *Yorkshire*, from London, etc., left Singapore for this port yesterday.

At Mr. Lammert's sales room, Duddell Street, there will be a sale of the collection of London made jewelry, brought out by Messrs. Kuhn and Co., which is to be offered for sale by auction to-morrow.

The steamer *Hongkong*, trading between Hongkong, Hanoi, and Peking, is reported to have been captured by Chinese pirates, and to be carrying a large quantity of goods.

We have received the "Northern Territory Times and Gazette" for 1889, written and compiled by V. L. Solomon, and published at the Northern Territory Times and Gazette Office, Palmerston. It contains a mass of useful information, including a complete list of the names of the residents of the Territory.

The Singapore Free Press says:—Concerning the recently reported Lombok atrocities we are now informed that the woman who was confined in chains by Syed Abdullah, has now disappeared. Syed Abdullah is stated to have asserted that the woman has escaped, and that all other people explain her disappearance in a very different way.

Messrs. Dalrymple & Company, Limited, of Newcastle, N.S.W., in their annual report for 1889, state that the company have been successful in their operations in the Philippines, and that they have secured a large number of new customers.

An inquiry was held at the Magistrate's court yesterday morning before Mr. Wodehouse into the circumstances attending the death of an old woman who was found in the Hongkong Canal on the 22nd ult. The body was found floating in the canal at 8 a.m. on the 22nd ult. There was very little clothing upon the body when found.

A public meeting, numerously and influentially attended, was held at the Town Hall on the 2nd inst. to discuss the proposed amendment of the Legislative Council in opposition to the increase of the military contribution from the Straits Settlements from \$50,000 to \$100,000.

The principal resolution adopted:—That this meeting cordially approves of the action taken by the members of the Legislative Council in opposing the increase of the military contribution to \$100,000 per annum, and is of opinion that the Colony should not be called upon to pay more than one-half the cost of the proposed increase.

Mr. Labouchere declined to take Lord Salisbury's word and he was then named and suspended. The House of Commons, during the sitting of the Committee of Supply, Mr. Labouchere asserted that Lord Salisbury warned the Duke of Somerset that a warrant was issued against him and demanded a committee of inquiry.

THE EXTRADITION TREATY BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN.  
The Senate of the United States has ratified the extradition treaty with Great Britain. The treaty was signed by the President of the United States on the 22nd inst.

THE FRENCH PRESS AND PUBLIC OFFICIALS.  
On the 22nd the Senate adopted the proposition of M. Marcel Barthe referring to the Convention of the French Press and Public Officials.

THE GERMAN ELECTIONS.  
The results of the elections to the Reichstag are as follows:—The Socialists have gained a majority of 100 seats.

THE STRIKERS IN FRANCE.  
The Chamber has rejected the proposition to grant an amnesty to the strikers by 225 to 180.

THE DUKES OF ORLEANS.  
The Duke of Orleans has been transferred to Clairmont, the period for appeal having elapsed.

ATTACK BY NATIVES ON A FRENCH POST IN AFRICA.  
Five hundred soldiers of the King of Dahomey attacked the post at Kotonou, but were repulsed with serious loss by the Senegal tirailleurs.

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.  
The Legislative Council met yesterday afternoon. There were present:—His Excellency the Acting Governor, Hon. F. FLEMING, C.M.G., Hon. W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary.

THE ACTING GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS.  
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Two Ordinances passed to back in 1844 and 1850. These Ordinances were to amend the law relating to the jurisdiction of the Magistrate's Court. The first Ordinance was passed in 1844 and the second in 1850.

The Acting Colonial Secretary said:—The bill tabled two financial Ordinances, one a bill to amend the law relating to the jurisdiction of the Magistrate's Court, and the other a bill to amend the law relating to the jurisdiction of the District Court.

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Messrs. Victor and Henri Rogue and their

CHINESE IN AUSTRALIA.

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to Emin's accident, Mr. Stanley or described it as follows: "We were sitting at table—thirty-five on one side and thirty-five on the other. Herr Wisemann came to a feast; Emin and I had also come to a feast. We were sitting at the table. Near the dining-room was a small entrance to a window and a low railing. Emin fell from the table, talking to somebody. I saw him fall. He fell from the railing. I fell, after having made a lively fall over the railing. When I was on the ground, I was not aware of his fall. A few moments after I heard the sound of a fall. I went out to see what had happened, and on going into street I saw a pool of blood, as Emin had already fallen. I saw him lying on the ground as a body. Nearly the whole side of the street was broken, and he had fallen on his ear."

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puzzling appearance. The other day  
a porter was considerably confused over  
the question of whether to take a lady  
to the platform in top-boots, a long  
blue overcoat, the seams strapped  
up in the most gentlemanly way;  
or to take the lady with a hat and  
arrangement of white linen and crepe,  
one of the orthodox "po" order, into  
one of which the woman's hair was all  
tied up. Mistaken by deceptive ap-  
pearance, he said, "I am sorry, madam,  
sir; here's empty carriage; shall I  
take you?" "Yes," said his charge, handing  
out "tip." A second or two later a  
man in top-boots and a long overcoat  
were both put into his halcyon. "Lady,  
I am so sorry, but I have no room for  
one of your kind, or of endurance, 'I have seen  
you," I put a young gentleman in here."  
The servant the carriage. The groom  
was in the saddle, and the lady, with  
and across all right "disappeared to  
her place in the train, leaving the porter to  
wonder over the changes of these latter days.

penation was caused in a Parisian block  
last night, the *Daily Telegraph* by the screams pro-  
ceeding from the room occupied by a milliner.  
She opening her door found her in a  
state of collapse, and, finding her face  
being painted black, streaked her hair  
white, and only a portion of her face  
its pristine colour. The girl related  
that she had been called to see her  
they had been with her, and she  
The man asked her what she saw  
at now, as her millinery labours seemed  
to have been entirely repelled. She was  
in teaching candles to talk. She  
these were those out of her mouth than  
she raised her shouting. "We'll teach you  
to talk," she said, and she began to  
clothes, they smeared her all over with  
of milk, grease, browns, and molasses.  
They dried her before a fire, and finally  
her. She was then taken to the  
her the rascals afterwards tied her to the  
and began to jeer at her, saying: "You  
show yourself at a fair! You are a  
The words of the perpetrators of  
age were arrested, and she had been  
to terms of imprisonment, with fines.

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\$125 003 p.ct.pm. ex div.

\$50	\$30
\$17.50	\$18
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\$210	\$128
\$6	\$8
\$100	\$220
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\$100	\$209	
Tls. 30	Tls. 34	
\$40	\$45	
\$100	\$71	
\$6	\$6, nom.	

£20	£38
£50	£115.
£18	£14.10s.
£50	£60
£30	£50, sellers
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<p><b>REATURE.</b></p> <p><b>WINTER, MARCH 8TH.</b></p> <p>6 A.M. (Wednly) 52</p> <p>1 P.M. (Wednly) 54</p> <p>4 P.M. (Wednly) 54</p> <p>Maximam 56</p> <p>Minimum 50</p> <p>Barometer (corrected) 55</p>	<p><b>CONSIGNEES of Cargo in</b>  <b>and Havre, Ex S. S. <i>Tuiler</i></b>  <b>Dordeaux Ex S. S. <i>P. Leroy</i> Leth-</b>  <b>tion with above Steamer, are hereby</b>  <b>that their Goods, with the exception</b>  <b>Treasure, and Valuables, are being</b>  <b>stored at their risks at the Company</b>  <b>whence delivery may be obtained</b>  <b>after landing.</b></p> <p>Optional Cargo will be forwarded          intimation is received from the</p>
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